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Examining Group 2116

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For: PERFORMANCE MONITORING
BASED DYNAMIC VOLTAGE
AND FREQUENCY SCALING

Examiner: Eric Chang.

AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL ACTION UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.116

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INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Office Action dated November 2, 2006, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims begin on Page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on Page 6 of this paper.